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The Humbling Of Jane

By BELLE MANIATES

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"Come, put," commanded Jane Tivy in bright, sharp tones.

Titus Tivy, a meek, undersized man, responded to the summons and stood unresistingly before his daughter while, in accordance with her biweekly custom, she prepared him for his trip to town. First she deftly folded a muffler about his neck, buttoned his great coat snugly over it and then put on his cap, tying the earlaps in place. She next handed him the memorandum for groceries and a letter to mail, with instructions to carry it in his hand all the way "lest he forget."

When he had taken his seat in the wagon amid the molasses jug, kerosene can and butter crocks, she put a soapstone at his feet and tucked about him a heavy blanket shawl in lieu of a lap robe, albeit the day was bright and sparkling.

When he had driven away she went serenely into the house to put the finishing touches to the toilet of her sister Rose, a girl of fourteen years. Rose did not submit to her costuming as meekly as her father had done. She pouted at the hanging braids of hair buckled against the white apron and begged for a dip to her blouse. Jane authoritatively silenced and overruled these objections, and Rose went sullenly to school.

For five years, since the death of her mother, Jane had held a tight rein over the household, and its members were strictly under Jane rule. She was a woman of convictions. One of them was that her duty clearly lay in managing the affairs of others. People were afraid of Jane. They submitted to her domineering or avoided it. There lived a man on an adjoining farm, however, who was not afraid of Jane. For some time he had resolved to introduce her to her true self, and he had chosen this morning to do it. He appeared amid the pots and kettles and Jane.

"Drop your work, Jane, and sit down. I want to talk to you."

"Well, Joel, I guess you'll have to choose some other time for visiting. I'm no lady of leisure. This is my time to work."

"Jane," said Joel, with a new, quiet ring in his voice, "you are going to listen to me now. I have waited your convenience just as long as I am going to."

Jane's nostrils dilated dangerously, but her heart beat faster than it ever had before, although she had "kept company" with Joel for six years.

"Joel Dixon," she replied, snapping off her words as if she were biting thread, "that isn't the tone to take with me. It doesn't go. I have no time to listen to you now."

Joel's stock of patience had endured for six years. It was now exhausted. He recalled the vision he had encountered on his way hither of Titus Tivy driving to town. He gave a short laugh at the recollection, squared his shoulders for action and crossed the kitchen to Jane. He took the dishcloth from her, threw it on the floor and, taking her arm, marched her into the sitting room and seated her on the plush sofa.

"Now we'll talk business," he said decisively. "Jane was silent from sheer surprise, but into her being were inoculated the germs of fear, respect and liking for Joel—tiny germs, it is true, but destined to flourish."

"I have waited six years for you to name the day, Jane. If you don't do it, I shall. After your mother's death it was reasonable to expect to wait a year or maybe two, but I'll wait no longer."

Jane was returning to her normal condition. "We must wait a year," she decreed. "The mortgage will be paid then. Rose will be through school."

"You'll marry me a month from today or not at all," he said composedly. Jane jumped to her feet.

"Indeed! Well, I am not going to be forced or threatened by you, Joel Dixon. I'll not marry you until I see fit!"

"Jane," he replied coolly, "you are acting under the mistake of thinking you are necessary to your father and Rose. They'd get along a great deal better without you—more to their liking anyway."

"What do you mean?" she cried in surprise.

"What I say. You haven't been so successful running things here as you think, and there's going to be no petticoat rule at my house. Today's Wednesday. You just think over what I have said, and Saturday about this time I'll come over again and prove up what I said."

Having thus spoken, Joel departed, and Jane returned to the abstracted washing of dishes with new food for thought.

When her father was unfolding the Wingsville Weekly that afternoon she astonished him by saying:

"Pa, haven't I managed the house well and kept up things since ma died?"

Joel wanted the best way. They want their own way.

Jane said no more then, but when Rose came in from school she said to her:

"Rose, don't you wear the best clothes of any girl in school?"

"Maybe I do," replied Rose a little crossly. "But what's the pleasure in good clothes if you can't wear them as you want to?"

Again Jane was silenced. "They say," continued Rose pertly, "that Joel Dixon's sweet on the new teacher."

A great fear smote Jane. Then she rallied. If Joel Dixon wanted a little meek, clinging vine woman for a wife he could take Lucy Wicks and welcome. But Rose's speech rankled and lingered in her memory through the week, and she anxiously awaited what Saturday might bring forth.

It brought Joel just as she was starting her father for town. As Titus gathered up the reins Jane intercepted the exchange of winks between her father and her lover. This troubled her, and she was in a puzzled rather than an antagonistic mood when left alone with Joel.

"Come with me," he said, taking her by the arm and marching her out of the house. Surprised, she suffered herself to be led or rushed through the orchard, down the hill to where the road wound its way.

"Now, stand behind this tree and watch out," he said.

Wondering if he had gone crazy, she did as he directed. She saw her father drive jogging Fleetwood up to a zigzag corner of the rail fence, get out, take the soapstone, wrap it in the shawl and pitch it behind a stump. Then he unbuckled his coat, threw his muffler under the cushion, took off his cap, doubled back the earlaps inside the crown, put the letter and memorandum in his pocket, got back in the buggy and drove away.

Jane looked at Joel, a light of new intelligence creeping into her eyes.

"He has, for five years. He knows what he wants and has had his own way right along, only he thought it was easier to let you think you were having yours."

She turned back toward the house Joel accompanying her.

"And has every one about here known it?" she asked faintly.

"Yes; they have thought it a good joke on you, and they liked your father too well to give him away."

She looked so utterly miserable that he almost but not quite relented.

"No, don't go in the house yet," he said. "There goes Rose down the road. When she's out of sight I want you to follow."

"I don't need to," replied Jane quietly. "I suppose she stops and renames her toilet too."

"Yes, she hides her apron under a stone, perks up her front hair and jerks up the braids to meet it and pulls down her shirt waist."

She sat down on the steps.

"Then all these years," she said bitterly, "I've been a failure and a joke."

"No, Jane. You have simply made the mistake a great many competent women make of wanting to look."

She was silent. Joel thought he saw an effort to hide a tear and felt encouraged. He sat down beside her and put his arm about her.

"A month from last Wednesday, Jane."

She turned her head away.

"Oh, you'd better take Lucy Wicks. She never try to boss you. You need a woman with no will of her own."

"No, Jane," he said gently, turning her face toward him, "I need you."

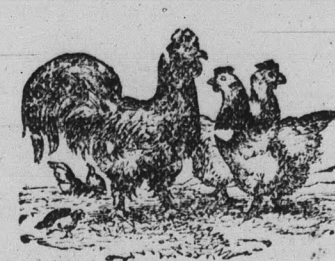
Sprains

S. A. Read, Cisco, Texas, writes, March 11, 1901: "My wrist was sprained so badly by a fall that it was useless, and after using several remedies that failed to give relief, used Ballard's Snow Liniment, and was cured. I earnestly recommend it to anyone suffering from sprains." 25c, 50c, \$1. Sold by L. S. Simmons, prescription druggist, Sonoma, Cal.

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The \$50 reward money has been deposited with the Index-Tribune and will be paid to informant immediately upon arrest and conviction of guilty party.

WM. H. DALY,
San Francisco, Sept. 15, 1904.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

I. That all taxes in the City of Sonoma for the year 1904-1905 on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, 1904,
And will be delinquent on the

Third Monday in November
Next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., and that

Next thereafter prior thereto, 15 per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that

if said one-half be not paid before the

First Monday in February
Next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., an additional 5 per cent, will be added thereto.

II. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January
Next, and will be delinquent on the

First Monday in February
Thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto 5 per cent. will be added to the amount thereof, and that

liens will attach after the

Fifth Monday in March, 1905,
At 6 o'clock p. m.

III. That all taxes may be paid at the time when the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

IV. Taxes may be paid at my office in the City Pavilion on any day, Sundays excepted, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

J. H. ALBERTSON,
City Tax Collector.
Sonoma, Sept. 17, 1904.

\$25 Reward

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who have lately broken down the doors of the Old Mission buildings of Sonoma and otherwise damaged the property.

W. R. HEARST.
San Francisco, August 6, 1904.

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Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., October 1, 1904.

H. H. GRANICE, Editor.
C. C. GRANICE, Associate Editor.

Railway Disasters.

The awful wreck of a railway train, in the South, the other day, resulting from a head-on collision, is but a repetition of such disasters. It is the old story of an engineer failing to obey or understand orders. It is true that there are some things that will happen in spite of every care and precaution, and it is true that a man can only do so much—that his powers are limited—yet when he assumes so responsible a position as engineer, when he takes hundreds of lives into his keeping, he should be sure of himself, so sure that even the company which employs him is no surer. An engineer should be a man steered against all outside influences. When he climbs into the cab of his engine everything else should be forgotten. Too often, however, he carries his troubles with him, and so engrossed does he become in his own thoughts that he forgets his sacred duty and sacrifices, perhaps, a hundred lives on the altar of his selfishness. Carelessness is the result of something of this kind, and carelessness we deplore more than all else. If a rail spreads or the train is wrecked by fiends under the cover of darkness and the engineer sticks to his post throughout it all in an effort to save his human freight, he is a hero with whom no one could find fault. It is the negligent that we deprecate.

Elbert Hubbard, the well-known writer, has advanced a theory concerning the cause of some of this negligence. He says women are at the bottom of many a wreck. Some girl breaks a man's heart and that man is the engineer of some train and that engineer is in such a mental state that all else sinks into nothing. The woman's face is in his mind instead of his orders. He rushes past the station where he was to meet an on-coming train. The trains crash together coming round a curve and death in horrible form takes possession.

This may be true occasionally, but it is the man that is to blame, not the woman. The man is a weakling to whom the care of human lives is not above all else. Fellow men, women and children all depend upon him, and the love of life is dear. If a woman wrecks an engineer's life shall he wreck his train? There are other things, too, that engross a man's mind, but to an engineer the train's the thing, or should be the only thing.

One of the most exasperating things to a person with a nice garden is to have other people's chickens scratching it up. The Petaluma Poultry Journal expresses this thought in the following lines:

"Ye hens are in the garden,
It makes me smile with glee—
It's the other man's garden they're in,
And those hens belong to me."

Social Saturday Night

A social was given Saturday night in Weyl's Hall for the benefit of the ladies of the ice cream booth of the forthcoming St. Francis Fair. Owing to the inclemency of the weather some of the talent who were to assist in the program did not appear, but those who attended had a good time and greatly enjoyed a musical sketch entitled, "Home Ain't Nothing Like This," in which our talented con song artist Jim Small took part, assisted by Miss Hazel Goess and Miss Leonora Quartaroli, as accompanist. Jim Small has not appeared before the public for two years so his return to the footlights Saturday night made a big hit. A handsome sum of money was realized by the ladies for their booth.

Will Be Wed

Miss Edna Myrtle Staley of Kenwood and James Alva Hardesty of Santa Rosa will be married in December. Miss Staley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Staley of Kenwood and is a charming and popular girl. Mr. Hardesty is a young business man of the City of Roseburg.

8 Cents

Eight cents a pound is what a young woman paid for twelve pounds of flesh.

She was thin and weak and paid one dollar for a bottle of Scott's Emulsion, and by taking regular doses had gained twelve pounds in weight before the bottle was finished.

Eight cents a pound is cheap for such valuable material. Some pay more, some less, some get nothing for their money. You get your money's worth when you buy Scott's Emulsion.

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50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

Bocca Sues

Ferdinand Bocca has filed a complaint in the Superior Court of this county alleging that Frederick Quien of Glen Ellen and others took forcible possession of a portion of the Rancho Agua Caliente in this valley and that he has been expelled from coming into possession of the same. The suit is one in unlawful detainer and Bocca asks that his premises be restored to him and that \$500 damages be given him for the alleged unlawful detention of the land and another \$500 for rents and profits of the property in question.

High School Tax

The Board of Supervisors has levied a special tax of 15 cents on the \$100 of valuation for the maintenance of the Sonoma Valley High School. The trustees of the school have gone to considerable expense this term in putting in a chemical laboratory in order that chemistry may be thoroughly taught and the school thereby be eligible to the accredited list of the University of California.

Has Sold a Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

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Ida and Marian sat talking in the dressing room.
"I tell you what it is Marian (and she drew her chair closer), your complexion has undergone a great change. You look so different, quite different from what you did three months ago."
"Do I look so changed?" asked Marian innocently.
"Of course you do, and you know you do. That is the aggravating part of it, deary. Come, tell me. Have you been making up?"
Marian answered with a laugh.
"What a beast you are. What sort of rouge do you use to get that color?"
"Just then brother Tom came in, having returned from the medical college on his holiday vacation."
"What was Ida calling you names for, Sis?" asked brother Tom.
"I want to know where she gets that stuff she puts on her face to give her that color and she won't tell me."
"Marian did not get that color from any shop, if that's what you mean," said Tom seriously.
"Marian can fool you as well as she fools everybody else," said Ida.
Brother Tom shook his head.
"The leopard cannot change his spots, and a girl cannot change her complexion," persisted Ida.
"Anything can be done if you only know how," said Tom. "I'll tell you how to do it. In the first place, you girls do not look after your physical conditions seriously enough. A young and growing girl (and mature people as well) should occasionally use a gentle laxative pill. I think Dr. R. V. Pierce, who founded the Invalids' Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y., has the best, and they can readily be

obtained at almost every drug store. They are called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I have examined them and know them to be entirely vegetable in their ingredients. They act mildly and gently. Such a laxative should be taken occasionally by every individual when the liver is sluggish, the stomach sour, or the tongue coated. In the second place, the real reason for her beautiful complexion is the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I advised Marian to take this three times a day. She has done so for the past three weeks, and you see the result. It is a medicine which is entirely vegetable and does not contain either alcohol or narcotics. It therefore cannot harm, and I am sure it would do you a great deal of good. Not only does it strengthen, but like the governor on an engine, certainly regulates the entire feminine system."
"Yes," said Marian, "it not only has undoubtedly improved my looks, but I no longer have those nervous feelings, feelings of weariness, backache and terrible blue spells. Then too, Ida, it has taken away those black circles or rings which you used to see under my eyes. Is it not true?"
"This is what a lady wrote me concerning the good the Favorite Prescription might do me if I took it. I found her name and address in one of those little memorandum books of Dr. Pierce that are distributed from house to house. Here it is:
"I wish to inform you how much Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has benefited me," wrote Mrs. Ray Traver, of Medusa, N. Y. "I call myself cured. My complaints were the usual womanly troubles, which gave me also palpitation of the heart, frequent headaches, and numerous other things. I had almost given up hope of ever being any better, but this medicine has worked wonders in my case. Two doctors failed to do me any good and I wrote to Dr. Pierce with but little courage but he wrote such a good, encouraging letter, my husband got five bottles at once, and before I had taken all of the

second I felt much better. I shall always speak highly of Dr. Pierce's medicine. I am working very hard now, and have been all spring and summer, so far, and feel so proud to think I can. I say to every one it was Dr. Pierce's medicine that cured me."

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M. U. McClelland, Esq., Merchant, Gravel Ridge, Ark., writes: "My wife (Mrs. L. L. McClelland) was confined to room and bed for some time with indigestion and female trouble. Was unable at times to walk across the room. We tried two or three doctors as I thought could be found in our part of the country. Neither of them did any good. Afterward she decided to write to Dr. Pierce for advice. I thought it not wise as I was sure she would be buried before she could receive an answer but she was convinced on your remedies and I could see that she was some better by the time she had taken the third bottle. We continued the use of the medicine quite a while and now she does all the housework, and stood the examination for life insurance all O. K. Any one who wishes may write to me at my place of abode."
Miss Emma Weller, who is Secretary of the Young People's Christian Association, at 1818 Madison Avenue, New York City, says: "Your 'Favorite Prescription' is a boon to sick and tired women, for it cures them when other remedies fail. I know whereof I speak, for I have had experience with it. For fourteen months I had constant headaches; seemed too weak to perform my daily duties, and when the day was over I was too tired to sleep well. I suffered from nervousness and indigestion, and everything I ate distressed me. Doctored with different physicians but received no relief. After reading one of your books I decided to give you 'Favorite Prescription' a trial. Am very glad I did, for I found it was just what I wanted. I commenced to improve at once and kept getting better until, after seven weeks, I was entirely cured. I have remained in perfect health ever since, and recommend it to all my friends. 'Favorite Prescription' is the best medicine I have ever used."

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PERSONAL MENTION.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not Be Made.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of PAUL ROBIN, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made. C. C. P., sec. 1558.

Frank L. Blackburn, the administrator of the estate of Paul Robin, deceased, having filed his petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth:

It is therefore ordered by the said Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on Monday, the 17th day of October, 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the court room of Department One of said court, at the Court House, in the city of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary. And that a copy of this order shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks, in The Sonoma Index-Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Sonoma county.

L. M. M. S. SAWELL,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Dated Sept. 18, 1904.

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WEEK (SUN.) DAYS	TO AND FROM	SUN. DAYS
6:18 AM	San Francisco	10:26 AM
6:18 AM	San Rafael	11:47 AM
3:36 PM	San Rafael	7:20 PM
3:36 PM	San Francisco	7:20 PM
10:20 AM	San Francisco	6:18 AM
10:20 AM	San Rafael	6:18 AM
7:20 PM	San Rafael	3:36 PM
7:20 PM	San Francisco	3:36 PM
6:18 AM	Norato	10:20 AM
6:18 AM	Petaluma	10:20 AM
3:36 PM	Petaluma	7:20 PM
3:36 PM	Norato	7:20 PM
6:18 AM	Healdsburg	10:20 AM
6:18 AM	Lytton	10:20 AM
3:36 PM	Lytton	7:20 PM
3:36 PM	Healdsburg	7:20 PM
6:18 AM	Ukiah	10:20 AM
6:18 AM	Intermediate	10:20 AM
3:36 PM	Intermediate	7:20 PM
3:36 PM	Ukiah	7:20 PM
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6:18 AM	Santa Rosa	10:20 AM
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BRIEF MENTION

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Lumber of all kinds at Camm & Hedges, Petaluma.
Castle Whisky at the City Saloon, A. Beretta, proprietor.
A. Beretta, proprietor of the City Saloon, sells the celebrated Castle Whisky.
A minstrel show is being arranged for the forthcoming Catholic Fair.
Camm & Hedges, Petaluma, sell all kinds of lumber, laths, mouldings and mill work.
Fine entertainment by the Ladies' Aid Society at Union Hall on November 18th.
All should attend the social to be given by the ladies of the Ice Cream Booth, Sept. 24th, at Weyl's Hall.
The Fall hats are here, and all are welcome, whether buyers or not. Opening, Monday, Sept. 19, 1904. Mrs. E. A. Holz.
An invitation has been extended to the Sonoma Woman's Club to join the Corona Woman's Club at their club breakfast, October 3d.
At a regular meeting of the Cosmos Cycling and Athletic Club on Wednesday of last week the membership was increased fourteen members. The club will give an invitation ball in the near future.
Wm. H. Daly came up from San Francisco Tuesday evening to inspect his extensive vineyards in the eastern suburbs of town after the big storm. He was agreeably surprised to find that his crop of wine grapes had received little or no damage owing to the way they had been pruned, staked up and cultivated.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL MATTERS.

Jep Valente was up from San Francisco Sunday.
J. V. Miner was a visitor to the city Tuesday last.
Guy Weems took Sunday afternoon's train to the city.
Robt. Prussia expects to enter Stanford University next term.
Mr. and Mrs. Dickson Russell were in San Francisco Tuesday.
Victor Sartori of Fairville was the guest of San Rafael relatives Tuesday.
Claude Burlingame will participate in the race meet in Ukiah on November 4th.
Mrs. Adelaide Hope returned from an eight-week visit to Stony Point last Saturday.
Jos. B. Small and Will Clewe transacted business in the metropolis one day this week.
B. Keachler, the well-known dairyman, spent several days of the fore part of the week in San Francisco.
Miss Lillie Bulotti will have charge of the millinery department of one of our local stores next season.
Lawrence Brown of Schellville, who had his foot run over and badly crushed, several weeks ago, is somewhat better.
Steve Akers, formerly of this valley but now of Petaluma, has taken a position with the Sonoma Tanning company.
Robert Bien, who formerly visited on Rhinefarm quite frequently, is making a hit on the eastern stage. Mr. Bien has a fine voice.
W. W. Skaggs will take charge of the U. S. bonded warehouse here to-day and T. J. McGinsey will assume charge of the bonded warehouse at Korbels.
Little Mina Colton, who has been in the Children's Hospital, San Francisco, for several weeks, is getting along nicely, although it will be three or four months before her condition will permit her to return home.

THAT DEADLY
ELECTRIC CURRENT

Local Linemen Have Narrow Escape from Being Electrocuted

Chas. McDavitt, a lineman in the employ of the Sonoma Valley Electric Light Company, fell from the top of an electric light pole near the Wickereham ranch, last Monday night, and broke his right ankle and severely injured his back. His assistant, Ernest Clewe, was standing beneath the pole and McDavitt, in his descent, struck young Clewe on the head, rendering him unconscious for nearly an hour. McDavitt's fall was caused by receiving an electric shock while on the pole splicing some wire, and the shock precipitated him from the pole to the ground. Singular to relate McDavitt's assistant also received a shock when he fell upon him and sustained painful burns about the head and on his hands. The injured linemen lay where they fell for some time when the shouts of McDavitt brought assistance from a near by ranch and the injured men were brought into town and taken to Dr. Thompson's office for treatment. At the present time young Clewe is none the worse for the accident, but McDavitt's broken ankle will lay him up for some time. The accident was the result of an employee of the Bay Counties Power Company at Napa turning on the current, although he had been notified not to do so while repairs to the main line here were being made.

New Advertisers

The attention of our readers is called to the following new advertisers in this week's issue:

Mr. W. C. Nolan, representing the Merritt Fruit Company of Santa Rosa, will pay the highest prices for prunes and dried fruits. For further particulars see his ad which appears in another column.
The professional card of Hugh J. McIsaac, one of San Francisco's most prominent attorneys, appears in these columns. Mr. McIsaac is the legal adviser of some of San Francisco's largest business concerns and has the reputation of never losing a case in court. His offices are in the Chronicle building, San Francisco.

Keegan Bros., the big clothiers of Santa Rosa, a reliable firm, are advertising in another column a great bargain in boys' suits—a double-breasted coat, two pairs of pants and stylish cap to match, all for \$5.00. The mothers of Sonoma Valley should make a note of this and buy one of these suits for their boys.

Peter Yenni, for a number of years the proprietor of the Victoria Saloon, in the Pinelli building, opens up to-day in his new quarters on First-street West, adjoining Ringstrom's store. Mr. Yenni has christened his new resort "The Welcome Saloon," which will be furnished with everything new and bright. It is needless for us to add that "The Welcome" will be conducted in a first class manner.

L. S. Simmons, the prescription druggist, receives and fills your orders by telephone. Ring him up and see and don't take our word for it. His ad appears elsewhere in these columns among the other live business men of the town. No dead ones there.

Clewe is advertising a new stock of mens' winter suits at moderate prices. This is the time and Clewe's the place to outfit for winter. This store will do better by you than any store we know of not even barring those of the metropolis.

The Sonoma French Laundry on Napa street, adjoining the City Hotel, advertises that it will make a specialty of high class work and the dyeing, cleaning and pressing of men's suits. As Mr. Loustalet's work is first class and his charges reasonable this much-needed enterprise should receive the unstinted patronage of our people.

Declares Mrs. Sophia Craig is Incompetent

N. Wiswell of Petaluma filed a petition in the Superior Court on Thursday asking the court to appoint him guardian of the person and estates of Mrs. Sophia Craig. Mr. Wiswell, in his petition, claims that Mrs. Craig is incompetent on account of old age and infirmity and that she is eighty-four years of age and not capable of managing her \$24,000 worth of personal property and real estate in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Sonoma.

Mrs. Craig, who resides here, is a pioneer woman of the Sonoma Valley. She is the widow of the late O. W. Craig.

Shirley Burris is down from Santa Rosa with his automobile.

The Biggest Meeting
Of the Campaign.

Republican Rally a Grand Success — McKinlay, McLachlan and County Candidates Warmly Received.

The Republican rally Monday night was the biggest meeting of the campaign here, for both Republican and Democratic voters turned out en masse to hear the distinguished gentlemen who were to address the meeting.

Ranald McDonnell was chosen chairman of the meeting and he selected the following gentlemen for Vice Presidents: Geo. O. Campbell, H. R. Dakin, H. Appleton, R. A. Poppe, A. M. Hardman, Jos. Potter, J. Cozard, J. M. Cheney, A. Pinelli and T. Skillman.

Amid the booming of cannon and the strains of martial music Hon. Duncan E. McKinlay, Republican nominee for Congress, Hon. James McLachlan of the Rivers and Harbors Committee of the House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., H. L. Tripp, candidate for Assembly and J. H. Weise, nominee for Supervisor, took seats on the platform.

Chairman McDonnell opened the meeting with a stirring speech for the principles of the Republican party and introduced the supervisory candidate, J. Harry Weise of Glen Ellen, who was given a hearty welcome. Mr. Weise spoke of his long residence in the valley, of his knowledge of road matters and his idea of road building. He concluded by asking his friends to put a ballot in the box for him on the 8th of November.

H. L. Tripp, nominee for Assemblyman, was next introduced. He told the audience who he was and of his long residence in Santa Rosa. He asked for the support of the voters of his district and from the vociferous applause accorded him it looks as though he'll get it.

Chairman McDonnell then introduced Hon. Duncan E. McKinlay as the next Congressman from the Second District. Mr. McKinlay got a rousing welcome. He is a masterly speaker and his address made a deep impression upon his hearers because of its force, clearness and conciseness.

He spoke upon the issues of the campaign, which he designated as pertinent and the most significant since 1896, when Republicanism was being attacked by Democratic opposition. He dwelt upon the importance of the continuance of Republicanism for the preservation of our present prosperity. He called a political party the adjunct of government, as through it the pulse of the people is felt on tariff, foreign policy, industrial policy, and as to what a political party will do in these matters is indicated in its platform.

Mr. McKinlay cited the fact that the Democrats had four issues this campaign and the Republicans but one. The Republicans, he said, were satisfied with their record and wanted it continued four years more. He called to mind the transition from industrial depression in the United States under Democratic rule to the marvelous prosperity under the Republican regime; the great industrial system now prevalent in place of the 3,000,000 men who once surged through the country looking for work; the canal achievement under the direction of President Roosevelt; financial legislation and the termination of the war with Spain.

Mr. McKinlay then called attention to the Democratic platform, which he declared is full of phrases which begin with "we deplore" and strong objections to President Roosevelt, both as to his personality and policy, whom the Democrats designate as unsafe. The speaker then took up Roosevelt's career as President, showing how wisely and how diplomatically he passed over the dreadful transition occasioned by President McKinley's untimely death and how he had carried out uninterrupted the plans of his stricken chief—the acquisition of the canal, the merchant marine, the freedom of Cuba, the improvement of our navy, the peace commission in the Philippines, the unearthing of postal and other frauds, prosecution against trusts, re-enactment of Chinese laws.

The Democratic platform urges, so Mr. McKinlay said, the return of the Philippines—the Philippines we were compelled to take, the Spanish power having been destroyed—the Philippines for which we became responsible to the world. He also spoke of Democratic tariff reform with its attending disasters.

Mr. McKinlay then referred to certain statements being made against him with the object of hurting him in the campaign. One of these was his birth in Canada. Mr. McKinlay admitted this but told of his early coming to the United States and his long residence in Santa Rosa.

In regard to his opponent's record in Congress, Mr. McKinlay declared he had none; that the collier at Mare Island Navy Yard was in reality gotten by Senator Perkins and not by Mr. Bell; that Mr. Bell never passed one bill, but had succeeded in getting just one amendment to a bill. The \$4,500 appropriation for Napa river was out of the emergency fund given by the Secretary of War and not secured by Bell. Mr. Bell's bill against adulterated and pure wine duties failed because of the Hepburn pure food bill, and his Round Valley reservation bill was killed by a fellow Democratic Congressman—Livernash of San Francisco.

This was Bell's record, so Mr. McKinlay declared.

In conclusion, Mr. McKinlay urged the people to elect a Republican Congress so that the hands of President Roosevelt would not be tied and the mighty wall erected by the Republican party could withstand the waves of any adversity.

Mr. McKinlay was cheered to the echo, and "Good boy, McKinlay," and other expressions of approval resounded from many throats throughout the hall.

Hon. James McLachlan followed and spoke strongly on the issues of the day and the necessity of maintaining Republican prosperity. He spoke in the highest terms of Duncan E. McKinlay's fourteen years record as a worker for his party. He regretted his inability to be present at the trip down Sonoma Creek on Monday, but promised to return shortly and go over the course and do all in his power to get an appropriation for us.

The Geisselmann Suit

In the suit for an injunction brought by Albert Geisselmann against G. Barker, involving the use of water from a spring on the latter's place at Agua Caliente, and in which the court has been asked to restrain defendant from interfering with the plaintiff's water supply, a partial hearing was had Monday in the Superior Court before Judge Seawell. Attorney Cowan of Santa Rosa represented the plaintiff and T. J. Geary the defendant. G. Barker and his wife were called as witnesses and alleged that the spring that supplied the cistern from which Geisselmann got his water supply was the only water they had and that was being wasted by plaintiff.

Since the case was on a citation was directed against Barker for alleged contempt of court.

The proceedings will be continued next Monday.

The Catholic Fair.

The Catholic Fair to be held here the latter part of the month promises to be a big success. One of the greatest attractions will be the appearance of Mrs. J. B. Bacon, a highly talented dramatist formerly with Madam Jokeska. Mrs. Bacon has retired from the stage but formerly occupied a high station in her profession.

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The Big Clothiers Santa Rosa Calif

The Sonoma grammar school closed yesterday for the autumn vacation. Many of the scholars will engage in grape-picking during the vacation.

Mrs. Mulstead of San Francisco is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fochetti, in Nevada.

WANDERING AMAZONS
ASSAULT A MAN.

They Place Him Hors de Combat—An Arrest and Escape Follows

Three women, who gave the names of Misses McIntyre and Mrs. Slock and their place of residence Seattle, Washington, passed through town with a camping outfit Wednesday, and when they reached the W. S. Miller place, down where the walnuts grow, they decided to help themselves to some nuts. The branches of the nut trees that overhang the road were laden with the tempting fruit, but some on the inside of the fence looked pretty good to the female campers, too. So all three of the women invaded the orchard and were helping themselves to the nuts when foreman Stonier happened along and ordered them off the premises.

The Amazons held their ground, defied the authority of the foreman and refused to get off the ranch, so Mr. Stonier took steps to forcibly eject them. This the doughty females objected to and they made a combined sortie on the offending foreman and while two of the invading Amazons seized and held the enemy the third assaulted him with a picket, and made it mighty interesting for him, too. About this time the badly-handicapped foreman realized that he had been overpowered by a superior force of numbers and "that hell hath no fury like a woman scorned," and he beat a hasty retreat and took refuge in Judge Small's court, where he secured reinforcements in the shape of a warrant of arrest and a Deputy Sheriff to serve it. Armed with the legal paper Officer Ryan deployed his forces and succeeded in cutting off the retreat of the enemy on the Napa road and capturing Her.

Deputy Sheriff Ryan then brought the female warriors before the Court and gallant Judge Small, susceptible always to the charms of the ladies, released the prisoners on their own recognizance.

The ladies, who professed to have have had their dignity shocked by the proceedings instituted against them, and with a look of "how dare you," gave out that they would remain right here in Sonoma all winter, and having made a bluff at renting the Monahan house, they were allowed to pursue the even tenor of their way. During the night, however, like the Arab, "they folded their tents and silently stole away."

That is how they became to be *non est* when their cases were called in Judge Small's court the following morning.

Yesterday Deputy Sheriff Ryan got a clew as to the whereabouts of the fleeing females and as we go to press is hot on their scent somewhere in Solano county.

Aftermath of the Storm

In spite of the 4.08 inches of rain which fell in this valley the first days of the week the grape crop, especially wine grapes, received very little injury. Great apprehension was felt on account of the unprecedented downpour for this season of the year and it was feared that the grape crop, which is unusually heavy this year, would be ruined by mildew caused by dampness, which would render them unsaleable. A mild north wind and warm weather, however, followed the storm with the result that the grapes were saved. Wine grapes in this valley are selling for \$18 per ton, although some of our vineyardists are holding out for \$20 per ton.

Birthday Party

The following little folks were delightfully entertained at a birthday party given by Miss Henrietta Weber last Wednesday: Ramona Granice, Bernice Hooker, Estella Bill, Wilma Hooker, Emily Poppe, Gladys Simmons, Floy Welker, Amelia Ciucci, Mary Pinelli, Marie Clewe, Nancy Bates, Florence Green, Ethel Onley, Gertrude Calderwood, Norma Jansen, Clarice Nickerson, Alma Bill, Henrietta Weber, Lucy McElroy, Sophie Weber, Louisa Weber, Masters Eugene Harrie, Lloyd Hotz, Harold Hotz, Harry Lutgens, Frederick Duhring, Jerome Jansen, Percy Carmer, Joe McMullen, Raymond Castex, Herman Stademan, Henry Weber and Spencer Harris.

School Vacation

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EL VERANO.

By Happy Hooligan.

Geo. McGill was a visitor to Santa Rosa last Monday.

Henry Serres has gone to San Francisco, where he has accepted a position.

Jean Dutil of San Francisco spent the fore part of the week in this place.

Samuel Rainey of Santa Rosa visited at the C. F. Carmer home Wednesday.

Mrs. R. E. Ent of San Francisco visited the Ent ranch west of town last Sunday.

Al Johnson of Sonoma is now the foreman of the Batchelor ranch west of this place.

Miss Susie Kearney of Oakland will spend several weeks with relatives in this place.

Leo Baines has accepted from Thos. Mullen, the bricklayer, the job of hod-carrier for the firm.

Jack Larsen, after a week's visit with the T. H. Baines family, has returned to his home in the metropolis.

Felice Clerici has entirely recovered from the beating he recently received at the hands of two thugs from Kenwood.

A large number of friends came up from San Francisco Saturday to attend the wedding of Miss Jennie Dutil and Lawrence Lalace.

J. A. Dutil has resigned his job in the French bakery at Sonoma and will soon leave for San Francisco, where he will learn the barber's trade.

Politics are quiet here this week. The bosses are laying low, the goose hangs high and everything from a political standpoint is running along serenely.

Mrs. J. Batchelor and children took in the Odd Fellows parade in San Francisco, one day last week. Mr. Batchelor took first prize for the best decorated carriage in the parade.

Hon. Duncan E. McKinlay, the Republican nominee for Congressman of this district, and Hon. Jas. McLachlan boarded the Southern Pacific train here Tuesday. They were en route to Sacramento.

R. E. Mullen, agent in this place for Selig Bros., the San Francisco clothiers, is doing a rushing business in his line. Anybody wishing an up-to-date suit of clothes would do well to see him.

A large number of Democrats from this place attended the Republican meeting in Sonoma last Monday, but all returned home truer Democrats than ever and will vote their ticket straight from top to bottom.

The sprinkling of our roads is over for the season. A. C. Chance has had charge of the sprinkling in this place and vicinity and his work has been very satisfactory to our people. Supervisor Blair Hart could not have chosen a better man for the position.

A political meeting for this place is being agitated by local Democrats and will probably be a go. Posters will be gotten out, the Sonoma brass band will play and the Democratic candidates will be here. Now, Mr. Editor, just watch for this meeting and don't fail to attend and be converted.

Walter Poulson, the young ice man of Sonoma, passed along Riverside avenue in his ice wagon Tuesday night humming that airy and beautiful song, "I'm Always in the Way." There are theaters in the metropolis that would pay a big price for that voice, which ought not to be wasted on the summer fairy.

Phil Rossi, the well-known saloon man of this place, has erected a fine new windmill which is a credit to his mechanical skill. Mr. Rossi will also build a new resort opposite Felice Clerici's. This will be a big improvement and our burg will soon be passing the drowsy town of Sonoma.

L. Larsen, formerly of this place, who was stricken with paralysis a few weeks ago, was brought from St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco, to the home of Mrs. T. H. Baines, Wednesday night. So helpless was he that a stretcher had to be used in making the journey. Mr. Larsen's many friends here wish him a speedy recovery.

M. Landucci, who conducted a livery stable here the past summer, has gone out of business for the present. He took his horses over to Petaluma the other day and sold them for chicken feed. His rigs, as he called them, were disposed of to a junk dealer. Mr. Landucci will start up next season with a new outfit of horses and carriages for the summer visitors, and they, too, not the summer visitors unfortunately, but the nags and rigs, will ultimately be reduced to chicken feed and old junk.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN.
El Verano, Sept. 29, 1904.

Postmaster Cheney has gone to visit his son, Chas. Cheney, in Nevada.

Dr. Alf. McLaughlin has announced his engagement to Miss Emma Moffat, a San Francisco girl. Dr. McLaughlin is well known here, where he was born and spent his boyhood days. He is now one of San Francisco's most successful physicians. Miss Moffat is a fine looking girl and was educated at Mrs. West's school and the University of California. No date has been set for the wedding.

Garden Party Benefit

The garden party at the Clewe grounds for the benefit of the Congregational church, last night was a delightful affair. The gardens were illuminated and an entertaining program was rendered. There were musical numbers and ten living pictures illustrative of Sir Thos. Moore's beautiful poem "Paradise and the Peri," which was read by Robt. Prussia. Much credit is due Mrs. Appleton and Mrs. C. Burlingame for the success of the fete. The proceeds will be used to purchase a new carpet for the church.

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DUTCH CHEESE MART

QUAINT ALKMAAR AND ITS ANCIENT WEIGH HOUSE SCALES.

A town in Northern Holland which for over two hundred years has had the "Rights to Weigh" Every Cheese Made in the Realm.

Though Didam, on the Zuyder Zee gives its name to those rose red spheres we know as "Dutch cheeses," which are instinctively associated with digestion, yet it is Alkmaar, in northern Holland, that conducts to the weekly importance of this edible commerce, as any one who has ever stood in the quaint old market place upon a Friday, and about the hour of noon will have speedily come to understand. For the Dutch cheese producer, indeed, "all roads" may be said to lead to Alkmaar, likewise all waterways, and there are many of them. Thither come the cheeses by rail, by cart and by boat; you stumble over them inside the station as you alight from the train; they dispute the right of way between the rows of narrow, many colored and curiously gabled houses; they stand in solid stacks upon the landing stages—heaped up like cannon balls in readiness for an immediate bombardment and, if "twere not libelous to breathe aught of disrespect to a friendly country's national comestible, as readily, possibly, also to an unaccustomed stomach as their leaden prototypes.

But, be that as it may, the cheese market is a rare good sight in quaint Alkmaar when the peasant proprietor and his vrow come in to drive their bargain at the weigh house with the wholesale agents from far and near, and every hostelry does its utmost to trade with both parties. Across those rounded bridges peculiar to Holland come shoals of peasant folk in picturesque attire. Who does not know by now the dress with its glorious cap and golden "corkscrew" ornaments, the pride of many a generation, making pretty faces doubly bewitching and lending some subtle attraction to even the hardest featured dame well up in years? On they come—clatter, clatter, voluble with their guttural fluency we somehow feel we ought to understand because of its confusingly familiar sound, but its very kinship to German sound, as every one who listens and listens till the jargon about the weigh house becomes a more hopeless jumble of sounds than ever to our ears, and we content ourselves with turning our attention to the building itself. It stands where its richly painted facade can be seen clearly reflected in the cool, smooth waters of the neighboring canal, a dignified old pile, built in 1651, with an especial eye to the growing importance of Dutch cheeses. Alkmaar having in 1715 received its "right to weigh" from William of Orange, and thus every cheese changing hands from that date onward having passed from the producer to the dealer across the Alkmaar scales. The present ones, by the way, which have hung in their place since 1692, were made in Amsterdam at a cost of 838 guilders and, having conscientiously performed their duties without a hitch ever since, certainly speak volumes for the workmanship of 200 and odd years ago.

Though the little town is thronged from earliest morn with orderly crowds of heavy Hollanders, it is not until the musical chiming within the all important weigh house turret have signified the hour of noon by breaking forth in melody, generally from some well known comic opera, that the actual business of the day begins, although, "unofficially," both parties to the coming transactions have probably already taken time by the forelock over a glass of hollands in some inn on the market. Now, however, the cumbersome ware is carried within doors, the time honored ceremony is gone through and the ticket stating the correct weight of each given, after which act the money changes hands. It is a study in temperament, this weigh house scene in the little Dutch town. No "hurry skurry" mars the calm of the place or disturbs the phlegmatic, pipe sucking individuals primarily interested in the transactions here going forward. The cheese alone seems riotous and inclined to wholesome insubordination, with a mind to roll blither and thither, possibly resulting from some "subliminal" memory of cows, green meadows and buttercups and a disinclination to coming bondage upon the prosaic shelves of some provision dealer.

If so, we honor the "last kicks," futile though they be, for accustomed hands soon pounce upon and gather up the stock, of which each single cheese weighs from two to six kilos, and they are swiftly carried out to make way for the next lot. And so on, all through the day, does the trade proceed until the last "Edamer" has been disposed of, but the extent of the business done in so quiet and orderly a fashion on "cheese market days" may be some extent be gauged from the fact that no less than 5,000,000 pounds weight of Edam cheeses are computed to pass through the Alkmaar weigh house annually before proceeding to Amsterdam and Rotterdam, where each is duly invested with its familiar red coat, prior to more extended travel, by land and by sea, often into the heart of the unknown, travels, however, which almost invariably end within the interior of man.—Pall Mall Gazette.

His Request.

"Pa," said little Arthur after his mother had punished him, "will you do something for me?" "What is it you want?" "Marry somebody else, and I wish you'd pick out grandma, because she's always kind to me!"—Exchange.

CONFIDENCE UNDER WATER.

How This First Essential in Swimming May Be Acquired.

A person who is afraid of the water can overcome the greatest part of the difficulty of learning to swim by the proper use of a wash basin.

The obstacle that nervous persons meet in the water is not the conscious fear of drowning, but an involuntary nervous shock that causes them to gasp for air even before their faces are under water. It is this gasping for breath that drowns people.

They cannot control the gasping, and consequently they often snap for breath when their mouths are under water. As the buoyancy of a human body is easily disturbed, a few pints or quarts of water swallowed in these involuntary gasping acts serve to sink a person who otherwise would float long enough for help to arrive.

Now, if a person afflicted with this involuntary fear of getting under water will thrust the whole face gently into an ordinary basin full of water every day and stay there as long as possible it will be only a short time before the gasping sensation begins to disappear.

Then the bathtub should be used, so that the bather, lying full length, can immerse the entire head. At first this will bring back all the old frightening sensations of suffocation, but the attacks will be of short duration, and within a few days it will be found that the total immersion can be maintained for almost a full minute without discomfort of any kind.

Once a person has learned how perfectly comfortable one can be under water the first great step has been taken toward learning to swim. Many otherwise good swimmers have never really acquired this calmness under water. The result is that when such a swimmer is caught in an undertow or a swirling current his confidence leaves him as soon as he feels himself dragged under the surface. Instead of diving or remaining motionless and so preserving his breath he gasps involuntarily and naturally swallows water, and the choking sensation at once forces him to exhale what breath he has left and gasp again.

Confidence under water should be the first lesson in swimming.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

There is a type of man who doesn't know he's a fool. He is always a fool. This is finally said of every secret: "I don't see how in the world it ever got out."

You sometimes hear people say they do not hear gossip. It's a fib. We all hear gossip.

If you discover something important for yourself the doctors say they knew it all the time.

It is hard to get a good washerwoman, but then it is mighty hard to wash for a living.

If you do not label your good will in your intercourse with some people they accuse you of being disagreeable.

Give a boy a toy, and the first night he takes it to bed with him, and the second night he leaves it on the stairs so that some one falls over it.—Achtel-son Globe.

Emergency Medicines

It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in case of accident or for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite if not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain-Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn, it allays the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one-third the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain-Balm is kept at hand a sprain in which inflammation sets in quickly is treated before it becomes a chronic ailment.

A Legal Antiquity.

The feeling upon the subject of oaths among the earlier colonists of Maryland is shown by the following extract from a petition of assemblymen of the province, addressed to the lord proprietor in 1649 and "signed by all the members present":

"We do further humbly request your lordship that hereafter such things as your lordship may desire of us may be done with as little swearing as conveniently may be, experience teaching us that great occasion is given to much perjury when swearing becometh common."

Abscess

W. H. Harrison, of Cleveland, Miss., writes, August 15, 1902: "I want to say a word of praise for Ballard's Snow Liniment. I stepped on a nail, which caused the cords in my leg to contract and an abscess to rise in my knee, and the doctor told me that I would have a stiff leg. So one day I went to J. F. Lord's store (who is now in Denver, Col.). He recommended a bottle of Snow Liniment; I got a 50-cent size, and it cured my leg. It is the best liniment in the world."

Abscesses, with few exceptions, are indicative of constipation or debility. They may, however, result from blows or from foreign bodies introduced into the skin or flesh, such as splinters, thorns, etc. Sold by L. S. Simmons, prescription druggist, Sonoma, Cal.

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In Praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

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Hard Luck.
"Just my luck," she exclaimed, stamping her little foot angrily. "What's the matter?" he asked. "There's a pin," she returned, pointing to one on the floor near her foot, "and you know the superstition, of course."

"See a pin and pick it up, through all the day you'll have good luck," he quoted. "Exactly," she said. "Through all the day," and here it is evening when I see it."—Pittsburg Press.

Sweet Woman's Way.
Sweet Maid—You must remember that ours was a summer engagement. The Man—That means if you see any one you like better you'll break it. "Yes." "And if I see any one I like better?" "I'll sue you for breach of promise."—Boston Traveler.

Often Reminded.
"How often," said the philosopher, "a man is reminded of his own littleness in this great world?" "Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox, "especially if he has three daughters who have been to boarding school."—Washington Star.

His Title.
"Did Edith marry a title?" "Well, she married Rounders, who is known about town as a prince of good fellows."—Cleveland Leader.

Fully Understood.
"I don't if you know the difference between grand opera and comic opera." "Oh, but I do. Grand opera is comic."—Puck.

Neglected Colds.
Every part of the mucous membrane, the nose, throat, ears, head and lungs, is subjected to disease and blight from neglected colds. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is a pleasant and effective remedy. 25c, 50c, \$1. W. Akendrick, Valley Mills, Tex., writes, "I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for coughs and throat troubles. It is a pleasant and most effective remedy." Sold by L. S. Simmons, prescription druggist, Sonoma, Cal.

Another Fool Question Solved.
"That policeman at the second crossing is a misplaced humorist." "What makes you think so?" "I asked him today if he wore gloves on Sunday. He said no; he wore 'em on his hands."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Rather.
"Would you permit your daughter to marry a titled roue?" asked Mrs. Oldcastle. "I don't know," replied the hostess. "Do the Roues belong to a very old family?"—Exchange.

Money is never safe in a safe to which an unsafe person has the combination.—Providence News.

Beautiful Women

Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health and a pure complexion, make all women beautiful. Take a small dose of Herbine after each meal; it will prevent constipation and help digest what you have eaten. 50c. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Texas, writes, May 31, 1903: "We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we ever used for constipation, bilious fever and malaria. Sold by L. S. Simmons, prescription druggist, Sonoma, Cal."

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REGISTRATION!

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

Section 1084 of the Political Code, as amended in 1899, provides:

That there shall be in each even-numbered year, in each of the Counties in the State, a new and complete Registration of Voters of such Counties, who are entitled thereto.

Such registration shall begin on January 1st, 1904, and will continue until forty days preceding the day of election, viz: **September 28th, 1904.**

Transfers from one Precinct to another in the County will close **October 13th, 1904.**

All persons foreign born, intending to become citizens, should become naturalized on or before **August 9th, 1904,** to be entitled to vote at the November election.

Affidavits for Registration and Affidavits for Change of Precinct must be made before the County Clerk or Deputy. Registration Clerks for Sonoma are: Jas. H. Albertson and R. A. McDowell.

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